## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON AT TACOMA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff,

NO. CR16-5419 BHS

PROTECTIVE ORDER

v.

ROBIN P. ROBERTS,

Defendant.

This matter, having come to the Court's attention on the Government's Motion for Protective Order, and the Court, having considered the entirety of the record and being fully advised in this matter, hereby enters the following PROTECTIVE ORDER:

## 1. Permissible Disclosure of Protected Material.

The material that is described in the Government's Motion is deemed "Protected Material." The United States will make available copies of the Protected Material to defense counsel to comply with the government's discovery obligations. Possession of the Protected Material is limited to defense counsel, as well defense investigators, paralegals, assistants, law clerks, and experts (hereinafter collectively referred to as "members of the defense team").

Members of the defense team may not provide copies of the Protected Material to other persons, including the defendant. In addition, defense counsel is required to provide a copy of this Protective Order to members of the defense team, and obtain written consent from members of the defense team of their acknowledgment to be bound by the terms and conditions of this Protective Order, prior to providing any Protected Material to the members of the defense team. The written consent need not be disclosed

1	or produced to the United States unless requested by the Assistant United States Attorney
2	and ordered by the Court.
3	This order does not limit employees of the United States Attorney's Office for the
4	Western District of Washington from disclosing the Protected Material to members of the
5	United States Attorney's Office, federal law enforcement agencies, and to the Court and
6	defense as necessary to comply with the government's discovery obligations.
7	2. <u>Filing</u>
8	Any Protected Material that is filed with the Court in connection with pretrial
9	motions, trial, or other matters before this Court, shall be filed under seal and shall
10	remain sealed until otherwise ordered by this Court.
11	3. <u>Nontermination</u>
12	The provisions of this Order shall not terminate at the conclusion of this
13	prosecution. At the close of this case, defense counsel may retain one set of these
14	materials with the case file, but will return additional copies of these materials or
15	otherwise certify that additional copies of the Protected Material have been destroyed.
16	4. <u>Violation of Any Terms of this Order</u>
17	Any person who willfully violates this order may be held in contempt of court and
18	may be subject to monetary or other sanctions as deemed appropriate by this Court.
19	DATED this 22 <sup>nd</sup> day of September, 2017.
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23	BENJAMIN H. SETTLE United States District Judge
24	Office States District Judge
25	Presented by:
26	/s/Joseph C. Silvio
27	JOSEPH C. SILVIO
28	Special Assistant United States Attorney